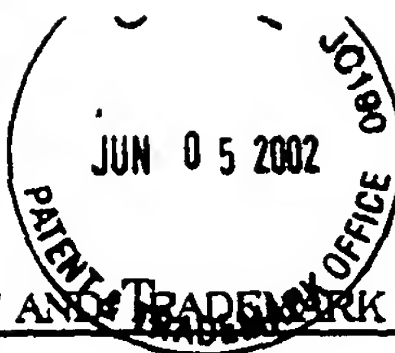




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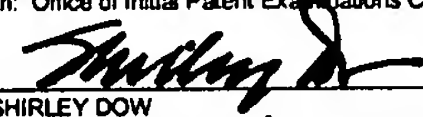
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Serial No. 10/046,491  
Filed: October 29, 2001  
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Applicant respectfully requests that the following corrections be made to the Filing Receipt dated April 18, 2002 issued in connection with the above-referenced application, as reflected in the marked-up version of the Filing Receipt attached hereto as Exhibit A.

First, Applicant requests correction of the **filing date** for the application to reflect **October 29, 2001**, rather than November 29, 2001 which appears in the Filing Receipt. In support of this correction, Applicant submits the following:

1. Enclosed as Exhibit B is a copy of the "Express Mail Label" EL 773 915 967 US for the above-referenced application, indicating that it was "express"-mailed on October 29, 2001; and
2. Enclosed as Exhibit C is a copy of the title page of the above-referenced application, showing a "Certificate of Mailing by 'Express Mail'", indicating the correct "Express Mail Label" of EL 773 915 967 US and "Date of Deposit" as October 29, 2001.

Second, Applicant also requests correction of the **total claims** set forth in the Filing Receipt to accurately reflect the total number of claims of 32 rather than "18" set forth in the Filing Receipt. In support of this correction, Applicant submits the following:

1. Enclosed as Exhibit D is a copy of the Preliminary Amendment filed concurrently with the instant application. At Pages 2-4 of the Preliminary Amendment, Applicant requests cancellation of the Claims 1-184 set forth in the parent application from which this application claims priority, and sets forth new Claims 185 through 202 (totaling 18 claims), with Claims 200 and 202 having multiple dependencies (bringing the total number of claims to 32).
2. The Filing Receipt (Exhibit A) indicates that the filing fee received for this application is \$618.00, which is consistent with 32 total claims as follows [12 claims above the 20 claims included in the basic fee x \$9.00 = \$108.00] + [basic fee of \$370.00 for small entity] + \$140.00 for the multiple dependencies] = \$618.00.

Third, Applicant further requests that the **title of the invention** set forth in the Filing Receipt be corrected to reflect the new title. The following documents are submitted in support of this correction:

1. Exhibit C, the title page for the above-referenced application, which reflects the correct title;
2. Exhibit D, the Preliminary Amendment, wherein pages 1-2 set forth the amended title as follows: "--A HERPES SIMPLEX VIRUS TYPE 1 (HSV-1)-DERIVED VECTOR FOR SELECTIVELY INHIBITING MALIGNANT CELLS AND FOR EXPRESSING DESIRED TRAITS IN MALIGNANT AND NON-MALIGNANT MAMMALIAN CELLS--".

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